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**AMENDMENT** 

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Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action dated August 23, 2006, for which a response is due on November 23, 2006,. Accordingly, this response is timely filed. Reconsideration and allowance of the pending claims, as amended, in light of the remarks presented herein are respectfully requested.